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Dear Officer Vercio:

In response to the Invitation to Furnish Nucleotide and/or Amino Acid Sequence Listing and/or Tables Related Thereto Complying With WIPO Standard ST.25 and/or Technical Requirements dated 02 November 2004, please find enclosed the Sequence Listing and disk at this time.

It is hereby stated that "the information recorded on the computer readable form is identical to the written sequence listing" and does not include matter which goes beyond the disclosure in the international application as filed.

Sincerely,

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